### THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Was Much Quieter Than Was Generally Anticipated.

BEARS ARE NOT SO RAMPANT.

Corn Tame and Prices Ruling Easier -Oats Opened Moderately Active and Declining-Provisions Somewhat Better.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET. CHICAGO, Dec. 27 - Special Telegram to THE HEE. |- The wheat market was much quieter to-day than was generally anticipated, and there was at no time any serious pressure to sell-that is, nothing like yesterday. A quiet canvass among the best posted people in trade confirmed the theory that a very large percentage of the high priced long wheat nad been dumped on yesterday's slump, and that there was no reason to look for another deluge around the current range of prices. The country is still full of bears, and the board of trade is their headquarters, but the more conservative among the late advocates of lower prices are looking with more friendly eyes at the market. They think that values may possibly settle some further, but they are not the rampant bears they were when May was quoted above \$1.10. When cash wheat crossed the dollar mark on the down turn they began to modify their views very materially. The selling out of a considerable quantity of wheat that could not be disposed of yesterday on the slump, caused a weak opening and the price marked down from \$1.03 at the start to \$1.03%. At that point there was good buying and the market rallied %c. A period of quietness followed, with the price close to \$1.03. The next move was a bulge to \$1.04, then the price was jerked backed to \$1.02%. That proved to be the bottom on the second break, and under the influence of good buying, wheat crowded up to \$1.03%. It got rather tame again and dropped to \$1.03%, but about 12 o'clock it again became firm, and a little later set off at a rapid pace from \$1.03%, and didn't stop until \$1.04% was reached. Here there was a pause and a little set back to \$1.04%, followed by a further spurt to \$1.04% @1.04%. That seemed to be the extent of its power of recovery for the day. The breathing spell was a brief one, though, and another wave of enthusiasm took May to \$1.05% and left it at \$1.05. December rested at 99%c. January at 99%c, and July at 96c. The average recovery was about 2c, compared with yesterday's close. Trade in other months than May was very small. The firmness in the market and the tendency of prices to advance was attributed for the first couple of hours to the desire on the part of the shorts to fill their contracts. The essence of popular opinion was that nearly all the buying was by the shorts. Later on this view of the situation was very greatly mod-ified. The depression that is usually counted upon as certain to follow free covering by the shorts, unaccompanied by investment buying, did not come. Last night gossips had it that Hutchinson would not quit 'gunning' for wheat until he got the price of May down to \$1.00. That was the figure to which the bear army had its hopeful eyes directed. Little doubt was felt by most of the soldier under that was felt by most of the soldiers under that flag that prices would get there. It seems, however, that other buyers besides the shorts were at work, and during the last hour of the trading session it was stated with confidence that Fairbank, Cudahy, Linn, Ream and Baker had been heavy buyers. The suspicion of the scalpers was first aroused by the purchases by Roche, Lind-blom, Hamili and others, who took a great deal of property off the market and relieved whatever there was of pressure. Milmike & Bodman, Logan, Boyd, McCormick & Co., Jones, Kennett & Hopkins, Baxter, and in fact most of the heavier commission houses, absorbed a large amount of wheat. Bloom, too, was mentioned as a steady buyer in an open way. These were the local features that contributed to the strength of the market. Foreign news was scarce, and what came was conflicting. Russian wheat was quoted as unreliable, and large Indian shipments were reported. On the other hand, the amount on passage was shown to be de-creasing. One authority made the decrease

than yesterday.

Oats were moderately active during the early part of the day, with May declining \$\phi\_c\$, touching 283c, and recovering in a degree, later. Trading was not heavy in the aggregate, and was confined chiefly to the local account. It was relieved that some local account. It was believed that some long oats came out in line with the general weakness prevailing in the other cereals, though no selling orders on country account were visible. There was light trading in February at about 3c below May, with January at 25@25 \( \)c and December neglected. No. 2 oats in store were \( \)4 c lower at 25c, with sales largely by sample. sales largely by sample.

In provisions there was a little reaction from yesterday's depression. There was no particular activity in any line of trade, but as the old bear crowd showed no disposition to over-burden the market with offerings, a stronger feeling developed. In all depart-ments increased confidence was manifested, and for pork the closing showed an advance for the day of 5@7]4c and for short ribs of 234@5c. Lard was unchanged, to 234c

#### CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Dec. 27 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. [-CATTLE-Business was active, with little or no variation as compared with yesterday, salesmen generally quoting values strong, decidedly strong, which, reading between the lines, means a slight advance. As compared with the same days of last week (Thursday and Friday) there is a big advance, anywhere from 25c to 40c, but everybody is predicting a big break for next week. as the wires were loaded this morning, call-New York. Dec. 27.—Wheat—Receipts, 18,000; exports, 16,000; snot stronger and 1@ 1350 lbs, and on good cows and helfers. The light run of Texans this week so far is the main cause of the strength in cow stock. As there is no particular improvement in the demand for big heavy cattle they are not keeping up with the advance on the mediums and low grades. There is little or no life in the stocker and feeder trade. Choice beeves, \$4.65@5.10; medium to good steers, 1250 to 1500 lbs, \$3.90@4.45; 1200 to 1500 lbs, \$3.90@4.45; 1200 to 1500 lbs, \$3.90@4.45; 200@3.40; stockers and feeders, \$2.20@3.30; cows, bulls and mixed, \$1.50@ 310; bulk, \$2.20 (white, \$3.20@3.6); mixed western, 29@32c; white, \$3.2@39c. ing for cattle from all directions. The adto good steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs, \$3,90@4.45; 1200 to 1350 lbs, \$3,50@4.00; \$350 to 1350 lbs, \$2.90@3.40; stockers and feeders, \$2,20@3.30; cows, bulls and mixed, \$1,50@.310; bulls, \$2.20 @2.45; Texas steers, \$2.35\(\alpha\)3.10; cows, \$1.90

common down to \$5.1025, 15; best heavy sold largely at \$5.25, against \$5.90(3.35 yesterday. A few loads of good heavy shipping sold as low as \$5.20; prime butcher weights, all barrows, sold at \$5.20(6.525; light sorts were in fair demand, with St. Louis pigs selling at \$5.00; nice little ones, avering 110 to 115 lbs, at \$5.15(6.5.20; mixed and assorted of 180-15 averages, \$5.20, and singe sort at \$5.25. The pens were well cleared of all grades at the close. common down to \$5.10@5.15; best heavy sold

#### FINANCIAL

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-STOCKS-The stock market this morning opened moderately active and irregular the first prices showing losses of 36@36 per cent. The London market did not respond to our advances as was anticipated, and instead of their sending large buying orders this morning, they were selling their specialties. This took the enthusiasm out of a great many of the smaller buils, and they mmediately started to unload, and a decline of 14001 per cent followed. Cotton Seed Oil was exceptionally weak and declined 21/4 per cent. The room traders were hammering this stock on the reported sales of long stock by a prominent Chicago operator. The report, however, was subsequently denied and a slight reaction took place. Stocks were more plentiful in the loan crowd this morning, and money was loaning at a higher rate. Altogether there was not much confidence expressed in the higher prices for the immediate future. A leading official of one of the largest coal companies was quoted as saying that the coal trade was not in a very satisfactory condition. The unseasonable weather has curtailed the demand, and wholesale dealers have been cutting prices indiscriminately. Boston houses were buyers of Union Pacific, and that stock advanced fractionally in the face the general decline. London was reported as buying St. Paul preferred quite liberally. The directors of the New York Central announced that it would be their policy to return to the 5 per cent basis next year. Lake Shore declared an extra dividend of 1 per cent, making 3 per cent in all. This stimulated trading in those stocks somewhat, but there was little strength displayed, though small fractions were gained all over the list, and at noon the market was quiet to dull. though firm at the close at opening figures. The market ruled quiet during the afternoon. Near the close money became active, and loaned at as high as 7 per cent. The commission houses are still advising purchasers on the reaction. The market closed tame. The net declines for the day were, Northwestern, %; St. Paul, 14; Rock Island, 14; Missouri Pacific, 36; Reading, 36; Cotton Seed Oil, 1%; Omaha preferred, 2 per cent. Vanderbilts were well sustained, and show only fractional changes from the opening figures. The total sales of stock amounted to 234,987 shares, including Lake Shore, 25,000; Union Pacific, 10,000; Northwestern, 9,900; Reading, 46,000; New England, 13,000; Lackawanna, 24,000; St. Paul, 18,000; Missour, Pacific, 8,000; Louisville & Nashville, 10,000,

	and Erie, 14,000 shares.
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Money on Calt.-Comparatively light, ranging from 434 to 8 per cent. PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-5@634 per cent. Evenavar -Dull steady, sixty

Bodman, Logan, Boyd, McCormick & Co.,	STERLING EXCHANGE -Dull, steady, sixty
Jones, Kennett & Hopkins, Baxter, and in	days, \$4.8414; demand, \$4.8834.
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absorbed a large amount of wheat. Bloom,	
too, was mentioned as a steady buyer in an	PRODUCE.
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came was conflicting. Russian wheat was	9014e; January, 9014e; May, \$1.05.
quoted as unreliable, and large Indian ship-	Corn-Firm; cash, 33%c; January, 34c;
ments were reported. On the other hand,	May, 361/c.
	Oats-Firmer; cash, 25c; January, 25%c;
the amount on passage was shown to be de-	May, 28 3-16c.
creasing. One authority made the decrease	Rye-50)6c.
1,250,000 bushels, and the board's cor-	Barley-No trading.
respondent put it at 320,000 bushels.	Prime Timothy -No trading.
New York advised that there was good	Flax-\$1.60.
buying of May for the leading exporting	Whisky-\$1.20.
houses and that it was for the foreign ac-	Pork-Steady; cash \$12.95; January, \$12.95;
count. Nothing in the shipping way was	May, \$13.3714.
definitely reported, but as prices at tide-	Lard-Steady; cash, \$8.25; January,
water are down to a shipping basis, a re-	\$7.72%; May, \$7.82%.
vival in the export trade is looked for. This	Flour-Quiet and unchanged.
was one of the principal strengthening fac-	Bulk Meats — Shoulders, \$6.75@6.87%;
tors in the situation to-day. The news from	short clear, \$7.1214@7.25; short ribs, \$6.80.
the northwest was all bullish, so far as the	
movement of grain went, and crop obser-	Butter-Slow and quiet; creamery, 20@
vers are watching the winter wheat fields	29c; dairy, 17@24c.
anxiously.	Cheese-Firm; full cream cheddars, 10%@
A tame corn market would fitly describe	11c; flats, 11@111c; Young Americas, 1114
the day's business. Prices ruled easier, but	@12c.
there was not much doing and outside or-	Eggs-Quiet; fresh, 19@20c.
ders were far from plentiful. The demand	Hides - Unchanged; heavy green salted;
from shippers was fair, but prices are ap-	656c; light green saited, 654c; green, 5cn
	salted bull, 54c; green bull, 44c; greed dry flint, 7468c; dry calf, 768c; brande;
parently not low enough to tempt the loading of vessels yet. There is a capacity of	dry flint, 714 @8c; dry calf, 7@8c; brande;
	hides, 15 per cent off; deacons, 25@30c each,
5,266,000 bushels laid up here, and the own-	dry salted, 10@15c.
ers are asking 4 cents to Buffalo, including	Tallow-Unchanged; No. 1, solid 514c;
storage, until navigation opens in the spring.	No. 2, 414c; cake, 514c.
At Liverpool 472,000 bushels of American	flecapts, Shipments,
corn was received in the past week. The	Flour, bbls 19,000 17,000
amount on ocean passage decreased 240,000	Wheat bu 27,000 23,000
bushels during the week. There continues	Corn, bu
to be a moderate export business, but it	Oats, bu
makes but a small hole in the year's crop.	Rye, bu
The improvement in the weather removed	Liverpool, Dec. 27Wheat-Dull; held-
the cause of yesterday's comparative firm-	
ness, with a resulting preponderance of sel-	ers offer freely; California, No. 1, 7s vid per
ling pressure, which kept the market heavy	cental.
throughout the greater part of the session.	Corn-Quiet; new mixed western, 4s 51/4d

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ental.	18 steers			
Corn-Quiet; new mixed western, 4s 51/4d	13 steers			
per cental.	85 steers			
Minneapolis, Dec. 27Wheat-Sample	13 steers			
wheat steady; receipts, 96 cars; shipments,	113 steers			
19 cars. Closing quotations: No. 1 hard,	1 steer.			
December, \$1.16; January, \$1.17; on track,	19 steers			
1.16; No. 1 northern, December, \$1.05; Jan-	38 steers			
iary, \$1.06; on track, \$1.06601.08; No. 2 north-				
ern, December, 94c; May, \$1.02; on track,	17 steers			
4@36c.	34 steers	*****	****	****
Cincinnati, Dec. 27Wheat-Quiet;	20 steers			ogs.
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No. 2 red, 95@95c. Corn—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 35c.	No. Av.		\$4.00	51
	19144			65
Oats-Barely steady; No. 2 mixed, 2714c.	73222			
Whisky-\$1.14.	63267			68
St. Louis, Dec. 27Wheat-Higher;	66263	240		61
eash and December, 96c; May, \$1.015c.	67246	80		65
Corn-Firm; cash, 301/c; May, 33%@331/c.	66265	200		58
Oats-Lower; cash, 24c; May, 28%c.	74245	80	5.00	64
Pork-Dull; cash, \$13.50@13.75.	67258	120	5.00	63
Lard-Nominal; cash, \$8.28.	57 266	560	5.00	66
Whisky-Steady at \$1.14.	68287	120		65
Butter-Steady; creamery, 26@28c; dairy,	59 249	120		57
2/a24c.	51243	****		73
Kansas City, Dec. 27 Wheat-Steady;	62 259	160		51
No. 2 red, cash, 91c bid; May, 95c bid.	53 273			53
Corn-Oulet: No. 2 cash 955ce bid:	60 2:5	480	5.05	63
Corn-Quiet; No. 2, cash, 25%c bid; January, 26c bid; May, 29%c bid; No. 2	18261	40	5.05	58
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Whisky—Steady at \$1.14.	Mi2 + + + + 19:24	3.997	45,450	10000000000	*90	
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Corn-Quiet; No. 2, cash, 25%c bid;	18261	40	5.05	58976		
January, 26c bid; May, 29%c bid; No. 2	57312	200	5.05	60262		
white, cash, 26% asked.	71 295	80	5.65	67 252		ď
Oats-No. 2, cash, 2214c asked; May, 2114c	61266	80	5.05	55278	40 80	- 3
bid.	56294	160	5.05	58269	160	
Milwaukee, Dec. 27,-Wheat - Firm	73268	280	5.05	65289	560	7
and higher; cash, 92c; May, 99c.	69269	320	5.05	55294	200	4
Corn—Dull; No. 3, 30@31e.	61263	200	5.05	64 224	80	- 1
Oats-Quiet; No. 2 white, 27@28c.						- 4
Rye-Easy; No. 1, 4934c.	1. THE R. P. P. LEWIS CO., LANSING.	400	5.05	65 287	160	Ц
Barley-Easy; No. 2, 6616/2007c.	70270	160	5.05	116251	80	- 3
Provisions-Steady; pork, \$12.95.	64293	280	5.05	79 267	240	3
	63264	280	5.05	67,310		-
Sionx City, Dec. 27.—CATTLE-Receipts,	69220	160	5.05	50331	80	3
128; shipments, 163; market active.	63281	200	5.05	44334	160	1
Hogs-Receipts, 1,925; market opened	62270	280	5.05	59336	2.00	1
steady, but later declined 5c, closing weak;	65302	480	5.05	51300	-	1
light and mixed, \$5.00@5.10; heavy, \$5.00@	69264	160	5.05	48359	160	1
5.15.	68277	280	5.05	58353	120	1
New York, Dec. 27 Wheat - Receipts.	60 311	400	5.05	49338	- 80	1
13,000; exports, 16,000; spot stronger and 1@	68195	240	5.05			

New York, Dec. 27 .- Wheat-Receipts,

white, \$26,35c.

62.45; Texas steers, \$2.35\(\alpha\)3.10; cows, \$1.90

62.25.

Hogs—Business was brisk, but prices were b\(\alpha\)10 lower than yesterday, the bulk of the best mixed selling around about \$5.20, with

White, \$26,35c.

Coffee—Options closed barely steady at 25 (34 points below yesterday. Sales, 685,000 bags; December, \$14.85\(\alpha\)15.53; January, \$14.75\(\alpha\)1 10. Spot Rio easy; fair cargoes, \$10.75.

Eggs - Quiet and easy; western, 22/6/23c. Pork - More active; mess, \$14.25@14.75, Lard - A. trifle stronger; western stea \$8.40/6/3.45; January closing at \$8.12 bid. Butter—Quite but steady; western dairy, 14(425c; western creamery, 19-231c; Eigins,

Cheese-r'irm; western, 10@11%c.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Dec. 27 — The Drovers' Jour-nal reports as follows: Cattle—Receipts, 7,000; market strong; choice beeves, \$4.65@5.10; steers, \$2.95@ 4.45; stockers and feeders, \$2.20@3.30; cows, bulls and mixed, \$1.50@3.10; Texas cattle, \$1.90@3.10 attle, \$1,90@3.10. Hogs -Receipts, 16,000; market weak and

10c lower; mixed and light, \$5.00@5.20; heavy, \$5.10@5.30; skips, \$3.50@5.00.
Sheep-Receipts 6.000; market slow, heavy and 5@10c lower; natives, \$3.00 @4.90; western cornfed, \$4.00@4.60; Texans, \$2.10 @3.15; lambs, \$4.00@5.90.

Kansas City. Dec. 27.-Cattle-Receipts. 2,800 head; shipments, 1,100; market steady to firm; good to choice corn fed, \$4,50(2.4.90) common to medium \$3,20@4.25; stockers and feeding steers, \$2.00@3.30.
Hogs—Receipts, 5,450; shipments, 600; market loc lower; good to choice, \$5.05@5.10; common to medium, \$1.55@5.00.

National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, Dec. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 800, shipments, 800; market strong; choice heavy native steers, \$5.00@5.00; fair to good steers, \$4.40005.10; butchers' steers, medium to choice, \$3.40@4.40: stockers and feeders, fair to good, \$2.00@4.20: rangers, corn fed, \$3.00@4.20; grass fed, \$2.10@\$3.15. Hogs-Receipts, 1,600; shipments, 900; market ensy; choice heavy and butchers' selections, \$5.25@5.35; packing, medium to prime, \$5.10@5.30; light grades, ordinary to best, \$5,00@5.15.

#### OMAHA LIVE STOCK

Cattle.

Thursday, Dec. 27, 1888. The receipts of cattle were heavier than for ome days and the demand light, only one packer being on the market. As a result prices fell off all the way from 10@25c, on beef cattle. Good corn fed natives weighing 1400 lbs and over sold at \$4.00 and under. The packers paid \$3.50@2.80 for the bulk of their beef cattle. The market on butchers stock did not show as much decline and as high as \$2.65 was paid for some good heifers, while good to choice cows went at \$2.250 2.55, and calves all the way from \$1.25 up. Fecuers hold their own in spite of the low prices on other kinds of cattle. Some good westerns of that class sold at \$2.90, and good natives are held as high as \$3.00.

Hogs. The hog market was 15c lower on an aver age than yesterday morning's prices, but the trade was uneven and hogs sold all the way from 10@20c lower. The packers were apparently ready to take the hogs at the decline and everything re-ceived in the morning was sold in good season, but a train of late arrivals dragged a little. In spite of the heavy decline hogs are still high in comparison with other markets, there not being over 10c between this

market and Chicago. Sheep. There were no sheep here to make a market, but a small bunch of stale feeders

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k Notes.	

99 feeders..... Live Stock Note Hogs lower. Cattle market lower. No sheep to make a market.

Z. Robinson, Sioux City, was in with cattle. Over a thousand head of cattle changed hands. D. N. Wheeler, Pender; Messrs. Winters and Morgan, Shelby, Ia.; W. N. Richardson, Red Cloud, and Hon. Watson Tyson, Blair, were visitors at the yards. J. P. Fall, Silver City, Ia.; J. F. Halde-man, Cairo; W. W. Barnhouse, Adams, Neb., and John P. Widup, Cordova, were among the shippers who came in to look after ship-ments of hogs.

Petroleum-Lower and quiet; united closed | OMANA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Fruits, Produce, Etc. BUTTER-Fancy, solid-packed creamery, 280330c; choice country, 22023c; medium grades, 18021c; common grades, 14021c. Figure-Nebraska patents, \$6.00 a7.50; Minnesota patents, \$6.25 a7.75; straight grades, \$5.00 a 5.50; bakers' flour, \$5.25 a 5.75 Potatons-Nebraska, 45 @35c per bu; Col-

orado, 60/2/70c. rano, 082/05.

Sweat Potatoes—3@8% per lb.

Potutet—Live chickens, \$2.50@2.75 per loz; dressed chickens, 7@8c per lb; turkeys, elle; ducks and geese, low12c. Eggs-Strictly fresh, llw22c candled.

MALAGA GHAPES - In Rogs, 12c per 1b. BANANAS - Common, \$1.50@2.25 per bunch; hotee, \$2.50@3.50. Choice, \$2.50m3.50.

LEMONS—\$3.75m5.00 per case.

ORANGES—Florida, \$3.25m3.75 per box.

GAME—Pur dozen: Mallards, \$3.25; tea

\$1.50; quall, \$2.90; prairie chickens, \$4.00@

1.50; rabbits, \$1.06; squirrels, \$1.03; venison,

Bran-\$13.00@14.00. CHOPPED FEED - \$14.00@15.00 per ton.

VINEGAR-Cider, 10 @18c per gal.; white

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HONEY-1-1b frames, 10@18c.
CRANDERRIES-\$5.00@9.00 per bbl.
PROVISIONS-Hams, No. 1, 11c; No. 2, 10%c; shoulders, 7%c; ab bacon, 11c; clear bacon, 11%c; plenic larms, 10c; dried beef hams, 10%c; dry salted clears, short, 8%c; extra short, 8%c; short ribs, 8%c; pickled pigs' feet, 15-ib kits, 80c; lard, 8%@3%c; smoked sausage, 6@8c per lb; hog casings, 17@18c. 17m 18c.

CELERY-25@30c per doz: fancy, 40c, Onions-30@40c per bu. CABRAGE - \$3.00 per 100. BEETS-40c per bu. TURNES-25c per bu.

SAUER KRAUT-Bbls., \$4.75; half bbls., APPLES-Choice, \$2.50@2.75 per bbl; faucy, \$3.00 per bbl; common. \$1.50 a). 75 per bbl. Ciden—Michigan. \$5.00a 6.50 per bbl of 32 gals; California pear cider, \$15.00 per bbl.

Por Corn-Rice, 3c; common, 24c. Cannors-40c per bu. Brans-Choice eastern hand picked navies, \$2.25 per bu.; western hand picked navies, \$1.75@1.80; mediums, \$1.50; Lima beans, 50 HAY-F. o. b. cars, No. 1 upland, \$6.00; No 2 upland, \$5.00.

Grocers' List.

Revised prices are as follows: BAGGING—Stark A. scamless, 22c; Amos-keag, seamless, 17%c; Lewistown, A. seam-less, 19c; American, seamless, 17c; burlaps 4 to 5 bu., 11@14c; gunnies, single, 13c; guu nies, double, 20c; wool, sack, 35c. Twines-Flax, 3sc; extra sail, 20 @21c; sail

Twines—First, 38c; extra sait, 20.22(c; sait)
B, 20@24(c; cotton, 22c; jute, 9c.

Dried Fruit—Figs, in boxes, per 1b, 13@
10c; dates, in boxes, 7@10c; London Malaga
layer raisins, per box. \$2.50@3.75; Malaga
loose raisins, \$2.30@2.50; new Valencia railoose raisins, \$2.30@2.50; new Valencia raisins per ib, \$3/c; California loose muscateis, per box, \$2.90@2.10; California Londons, 1888, \$2.40; pitted cherries, per lb, 18c; California pitted piums, per lb, 12@13c; dried blackberries, per lb, 7½@8c; dried raspberries, per lb, 24@25c; evaporated apples, 7½@8c; California sun-dried peaches, 13c; California unpared evaporated peaches, 14c; evaporated California apricots, 18c; currants, 6½@7c; Turkish prunes, 5@5]\circ citron, 22@24c; orange peel, 15c; lemon peel, 16c; California French prunes, 11@16c. Coppne—Mocha, 25@26c; Rio, good, 17@ COFFEE—Mocha, 25or26c; Rio, good, 17or Sc; Mandahling, 26or28c; roasting Rio, 15or 16c; O. G. Java, 21(a26c; Java, interior, 22(a) 25c; Rio, fancy, 186 19c; Santos and Mara-ca bo, 176 19c; Arbuckies, 23 4c; McLaugh ca to 17a 19c; Arbuckies, 23/4c; McLaugh-lin's XXXX, 22/3c. Steak-Granulated, 7/4c; conf. A, 7/3c; white extra C, 7/4c; extra C, 7/3c; yellow C, 6/3c; powdered, 8/4c; cubes, 8/3c. BEESWAX-Choice yellow, 20/a/22/3c; dark colored, 13/a/14c. CHEESE-Young America, full cream, 12/a/

31/ge; full cream chedders, 12/a/121/ge. Pickies-Medium, in bbls, \$5.00; do. half bbls, \$3.00; small, in bbls, \$6.00; do, in half bbls, \$3.50; gherkins, in bbls, \$7.00; do,

in half bbls, \$4.00.

Tonacco-Plug, 26@35v; smoking, 16@90c.
JULIUS-\$1.25 per 30-1b pail.

SALT-\$1.35@1.40 per bbl.

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ROPE-7-16, 12c.

MAPLE SUGAR-Bricks, 11@12c per 1b; penny cakes, 12@13c per 1b; pure maple syrap, \$1.00 per gal.

TEAS-Young Hyson, common to fair, 18@25c; Young Hyson, good to fancy, 30@55c; Gunpowder, choice to fancy, 40@55c; Japan, common to medium, 15@20c; Japan, choice to fancy, 30@45c; Oolong, common to good. to fancy, 30@45c; Oolong, common to good, 30@35c; Oolong, choice to fancy, 50@70c; Imperial, common to medium, 25@35c; Imperial, good to fancy, 40@50c. Nuts-Almonds, 15@18c; filberts, 12@15c;

Brazil, 9@10c; wainuts, 12c; pecans, 10@11c; peanuts, 6@9c. Crackers-6@10c per lb; assorted cakes, Canox—Niero per list.
Canox—Mixed, 0\(\frac{1}{2}\)

Codfish-61/071/c. Dry Goods.

Corros Flannels—10 per cent dis.; LL, 5½c; CC, 6½c; SS, 7½c, Nameless, 5c; RX, 18c; R, 20c; No. 10, 8½c; No. 40, 10½c; No. 60, 12½c; No. 80, 13½c; No. 30, colored, 9c; No. 50, colored, 12c; No. 70, colored, 12½c; Bristol, 12½c; Union Pacific, 17c.
Capter Wage—Bid white 19c; colored CARPET WARP—Bid, white, 19c; colored,

BATTS-Standard, Sc; gem. 10c; beauty, 12%; boone, 4c; B, cased. \$6.50. PRINTS—Solid colors—Atlantic, 6c; Slater, 6c; Berlin oil, 6%; Garner oil, 6@7c. 6c; Berlin oil, 6/3c; Garner oil, 6/6/7c. Prints-Pink and Robes-Allen, 6c; Riverpoint, 5/4c; Steel River, 6/3c; Richmond, 6/3c; Pacific, 7c. Prints-Dress, Charter Oak, 5/4c; Ramapo, 4/3c; Lodi, 5/4c; Allen, 6c; Richmond, 6c; Windsor, 6/3c; Eddystone, 6/3c; Pacific, 6/3c.

6)4c.

BLEACHED SHEETING—Berkeley cambrie,
No. 60, 9)4c; Best Yet, 4-4, 6)4c; butter
cloth, OO, 4)4c; 'Cabot, 7)4c; Farwell, half
bleached, 8)4c; Fruit of the Loom, 9)4c;
Greene G, 6)4; Hope, 7)4c; King Phillip
cambrie, 11c; Lonsdale cambrie, 11)4c; Lonsdale, 9c; New York mills, 10)4c; Pepperell,
42·in, 11c; Pepperell, 46·in, 12c; Pepperell,
42·in, 16c; Pepperell, 46·in, 12c; Pepperell,
42·in, 16c; Pepperell, 46·in, 12c; Pepperell,
42·in, 16c; Pepperell, 46·in, 12c; Pepperell,
44·2nc; Pepperell, 10·4, 25c; Canton, 44. 8)4c;
Triumph, 6c; Wamsutta, 11c; Valley, 5c.

FLANEELS—Plajd—Raftsmen, 20c; Goshen,
32)4c; Clear Lake, 36)4c; Iron Mountain,

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RENTUCRY JEANS—Memorial, 15c; Dakota, 18c; Durham, 27½c; Hercules, 18c; Leamington, 22½c; Cottswood, 27½c.
Crasin—Stevens' B, 6½c; Stevens' B, bleached, 7c; Stevens' A, 7½c; Stevens' A, bleached, 8½c; Stevens' P, 8½c; Stevens' P, bleached, 9½c; Stevens' N, 9½c; Stevens' N, bleached 10½c; Stevens' N, 8½c; Stevens' N, bleached 10½c; Stevens' SRt, 12½c.
Miscellangous—Table on cloth, \$2.59; plain Holland, 9½c; Dado Holland, 12½c;
Brown Sheetino—Atlantic A, 44, 7½c;
Atlantic H, 44, 7½c; Atlantic D, 44, 6½c;
Atlantic P, 44, 6c; Aurora LL, 44, 6c; Aurora C, 44, 4½c; Crown XXX, 44, 6½c;
Hoosier LL, 44, 6c; Indian Head, 44, 7½c;
Lawrence, LL, 44, 6c; Old Dominion, 44, 6½c; Pepperell, 84, 18½c; Pepperell, 94, 6½c; Pepperell, 84, 18½c; Pepperell, 94, 94; Pepperell, 104, 23c; Utica C, 44, 4½c;
Wachusett, 44, 7½c; Aurora, R, 44, 7c; Aurora B, 44, 6½c.
Duce—West Point 20 un, 8 oz. 10½c; West

rora B, 44, 6½c.

Duck—West Point 20 in. 8 oz. 10½c; West Point 29 in. 10 oz, 12½c; West Point 20 in. 12 oz, 15c; West Point 40 in. 11 oz, 16c.

FLANNELS—Red, C, 24 in, 15½c; E, 24 in. 21½c; GG, 24 in, 20c; HAF, ½, 25c; JRF, ¾, 27c.

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Leather.

Hemlock sole, 18@27c per lb; oak sole, 33
@3%c per lb; oak harness, 30@32c per lb;
selected oak and trace, 35c per lb; oak and
hemlock upper, 20@22c per foot; hemlock
calf skin, No. 1, 80@90c per lb, according to
weight; oak calf skin, No. 1, 90c@\$1.00 per
lb; Philadelphia calf skin, oxtra, \$1.00@1.10
per lb; hemlock kip skin, No. 1, 60@70c per
lb; oak kip skin, No. 1, 70@30c per lb; Philadelphia kip skin, extra, 80@90c per lb; delphia kip skin, No. 1, 7000 per lb; Philadelphia kip skin, extra, 80000 per lb; French calf skin (according to weight and quality), \$1.1501.75 per lb; French kip skin, do, 80c0\$1.10 per lb.; Cordovan russet, 18c; satin finish, 20c per foot; well leather, \$3.50 00.400 per side; moroccos, (pebble goat), 2000 00c per foot; moroccos, boot leg, 25030c per foot; glove calf skins, 2000000 per foot; Douglas kid. 3000000 per foot; kungaroo Douglas kid, 30@40c per foot; kangaroo skins, 40@50c per foot, according to quality; toppings, \$8,00@10.00 per dozen; linings, \$5.00 @9.00 per dozen; apron skins, \$10.00@12.00 Motals and Transport Pro-

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S Shears and wife to C C Hulett, e 20 ft lot 3, blk 4, Reed's 1st add, w d.
E A Pearson to F L Hull, se lot 91, Gise's add, w d.
J E Gustus and wife to F Kring, w ½ lot 3. add, w.d.
J.E.Gustus and wife to F.Krug, w. iş lot 3,
bik 4, Improvement association add
w.d.
O.Kammerer and wife to F.Krug, n. iş lot
3, bik 3, Improvement association add,

wd. Norvicka and husband to J Crosner, lot TWT Richards to M G Robroaugh, lots

TW T Richards to M. G Robritaugh, lots 2, 5, 8, 9, 10, 10 and 25, and and 15, 10 t 7, 15 Griffin & Isaacs s add, w.d.
M. Morrison and wife to H. Breil, s. 5 of n. 5 of w.5 to 19, bik 15, Improvement association add, w.d.
M. Marshall to R. Hunter, w.31 tt of e.67 ft lot 2, bik 18, S. E. Roger's add, w.d.
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